

House Judiciary Committee Amendment # 1

Amendment No. 1 to HJR0532

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AMEND <SB>

House Joint Resolution No. 532*

By deleting from the caption the language ", relative to civil penalties".

AND FURTHER AMEND by deleting the first resolving clause in its entirety and by substituting instead the following:

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED FIRST GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, That a majority of all the members of each house concurring, as shown by the yeas and nays entered on their journals, that Article VI, Section 14, of the Constitution of Tennessee is amended by deleting Article VI, Section 14, in its entirety and by substituting instead the following:

Sec. 14. The General Assembly shall prescribe the maximum fine and the maximum civil penalty that, absent waiver, may be assessed by a judge without a jury. If no maximum fine is prescribed by statute, then the maximum fine that may be assessed by a judge without a jury shall be five hundred dollars unless such jury determination is waived. If no maximum civil penalty is prescribed by statute, then the maximum civil penalty that may be assessed by a judge without a jury shall be five hundred dollars unless such jury determination is waived.